

Mr. Goldsborough moved to lay said bill on the table,  
Determined in the negative.

The question was then put, shall the said bill pass?

Resolved in the affirmative.

The unfavorable report of the committee on ways and means upon the bill reported by Mr. Beam, entitled, an act, to impose a tax on theatrical exhibitions, circus, travelling manageries, and public shows of every description within this State, was taken up for consideration;

Mr. Beam moved to recommit the said bill to the select committee that reported it;

Resolved in the affirmative.

Mr. Kerr from the committee on colored population, reported a bill, entitled, an act, to enable James S. Purnell, of Cecil county, to bring into this State, a servant for a term of years;

Which was read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

The clerk of the senate returned the bill, entitled, an act, to compensate Robert B. A. Tate, for extra services, as clerk of the levy court of Queen Annes county, endorsed, "will pass," ordered to be engrossed.

Also the bill, entitled, a supplement to an act, entitled, an act, to prohibit the owners of vessels, and others, from navigating the same, by, and under the sole command of negroes or mulattoes, passed at December session, 1836, chapter 150.

Also the bill, entitled, an act, to make valid certain deeds therein mentioned, severally endorsed, "will pass with the proposed amendments," which amendments were severally read the first, and by special order the second time, severally assented to, and the bills ordered to be engrossed.

Also the bill, entitled, a supplement to an act, entitled, an act, to accept the provisions of an act of Congress, entitled, an act, for the continuation and repair of the Cumberland road, in the States of Ohio, Indiana and Illinois, passed at December session, 1834, chapter 203, endorsed, "will not pass."

On motion of Mr. Berret,

The house adjourned until Monday morning ten o'clock.

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MONDAY, January 22d, 1838.

The House met. Present the same members as on Saturday. The proceedings of Saturday were read.

Andrew Rentch, Esquire, a delegate returned from Washington county, appeared, qualified and took his seat.

Mr. Hillen presented petitions of James Chalmers and Christopher Lambert, of the city of Baltimore, soldiers of the revolution, severally praying to be placed on the pension roll of this State;

Which were severally read and referred to the committee on pensions and revolutionary claims.